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#### INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 37 C.F.R. 1.97, and 37 C.F.R. 1.98, Applicant hereby directs the Examiner's attention to the following references which were cited in Applicant's earlier U.S. patent 6,705,322:

- (1) U.S. Patent No. 5,632,271;
- (2) U.S. Patent No. 5,638,812;
- (3) U.S. Patent No. 5,682,880;
- (4) U.S. Patent No. 5,743,258;
- (5) U.S. Patent No. 6,095,144;
- (6) U.S. Patent No. 6,152,136;
- (7) U.S. Patent No. 6,240,922;

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- (8) U.S. Patent No. 6,318,367;
- (9) U.S. Patent No. 6,394,093;
- (10) U.S. Published Application 2001/0025641; and
- (11) U.S. Published Application 2002/0078961.

A duly completed Form PTO-1449 was filed electronically on March 17, 2005. Copies of the above-noted references are not enclosed, in accordance with the Notice of August 5, 2003 at 1273 O.G. 1, wherein the PTO waived the requirement under 37 C.F.R. 1.98 (a)(2)(i) for applications filed after June 30, 2003. The Examiner is accordingly requested to consider these references and to make them of record in this application by initialing in the appropriate spaces on the Form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner include a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449 with the next communication from the U.S. PTO.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c)(2), this Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the mailing date of any of a final action under § 1.113, a notice of allowance under § 1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application, and it is accompanied by the fee set forth in § 1.17(p).

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## **ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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#### **US Patent Documents**

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	2	5638812	1997-06-17	TURNER			
	3	5682880	1997-11-04	BRAIN			
	4	5743258	1998-04-28	SATO ET AL			
	5	6095144	2000-08-01	PAGAN			
	6	6152136	2000-11-28	PAGAN			
	7	6240922	2001-06-05	PAGAN			
	8	6318367	2001-11-20	MONGEON			
	9	6394093	2002-05-28	LETHI			

## **US Published Applications**

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	2	20020078961	2002-06-27	COLLINS			

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